



PATENT  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Eiji KAWAI ) Group Art Unit: 3629  
Application No. 09/981,696 ) Examiner: Jonathan P. Ouellette  
Filed: October 16, 2001 ) Confirmation No. 7316  
For: ELECTRONIC GUIDE )  
INFORMATION PROCESSING )  
SYSTEM, INFORMATION )  
DISTRIBUTING APPARATUS, )  
PORTABLE TERMINAL )  
APPARATUS, AND METHOD FOR )  
PROCESSING ELECTRONIC )  
GUIDE INFORMATION )

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**AMENDMENT**

This Amendment accompanies a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and fulfills the requirement for a submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. In reply to the final Office Action mailed April 16, 2007, the period for response having been extended through August 16, 2007, by a petition for extension of time for one month and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please amend this application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment section of this paper.